

Local Happenings in Brief.

L. W. Wallace went to Tombstone on business yesterday.

Two days western mail came in on the afternoon train yesterday.

John Noble has returned from Agua Calientes greatly improved in health.

Miss Ella Moore left yesterday to spend Christmas with relatives in Willcox.

Sheriff A. V. Lewis returned to the county seat yesterday after a short stay in Bisbee.

The family of D. L. Williams have returned from an extended visit to relatives in California.

George C. Clark left yesterday for the Whetstone mountains to look after some mining claims for an eastern company.

Pete Tehaney left yesterday for the Cananea, where he will resume his position in the auditing department of the company.

A. F. Stone, formerly employed in the book-keeping department of the company store, is now engaged in weighing bullion at the smelter.

The room formerly occupied by the postoffice in the library hall has been repainted and fitted up and is now used as an addition to the Copper Queen library.

But ten days remain in this year in which assessment work can be done and judging from the number of miners at work in the hills near Bisbee no holder of any claim is willing to release it.

R. H. Colvin, a Sulphur valley ranchman, was visiting his family in this city for several days this week. Mr. Colvin is at present busily engaged in developing a recently discovered claim and he entertains high hopes of future success.

Thos. Anon, well known in Bisbee as the "cowboy baritone," secured a position with H. Henry's Minstrels and left with the company yesterday morning. Mr. Anon has sung several times before Bisbee audiences and his many friends are glad to note this recognition of his ability by the renowned Henry troupe.

Conductor Brown of the A. & S. E. railroad, who is interested in the Arizona Clay Manufacturing company, reports that the brick manufacturing plant started up at Benson last week is running steadily now, and that most of the troubles incident to starting new machinery have been overcome. The work being done is quite satisfactory, though the full capacity has not yet been reached, owing to the fact that the operators are mostly inexperienced.

A. W. Crawford left for his home in Tucson yesterday.

F. S. Douglas, of Douglas, spent Friday in Bisbee on business.

A special convocation of Landmark Chapter was held last evening.

Don't forget to attend the ball given by the Rathbone Sisters Christmas eve.

L. C. Shattuck and J. H. Jack spent Friday evening in Douglas on business.

James S. Douglas and wife left yesterday morning for New York where they will spend the holidays.

R. L. Benton, of Naco, and John C. Harris, of Bisbee were initiated into the mysteries of Elkdom on Friday night.

A number of Bisbee boys who have been in attendance at the University, at Tucson, have returned to spend the holidays with relatives.

Misses Minus, Stowe and Warning left Friday evening for San Bernardino, where they will spend the holidays as guests of J. H. Slaughter and family.

The next social hop of the Cactus club will be given in the opera house on Wednesday eve, December 25th. Announcement cards to this effect were sent out yesterday.

George Tricketon, an old resident of Tucson and assistant superintendent of the Pinkerton Detective Agency, who has headquarters in San Francisco, who has been visiting friends in Bisbee, left for his home yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff E. P. Ellis, of Naco, came up with six prisoners yesterday evening. Mr. Ellis says the town is overrun with crooks and sharpers who expect to reap a golden harvest during the bull fight Christmas and New Years.

Lumber has arrived for the erection of a building at the Spray shaft, to be used as the change room for the miners and work will be commenced in a day or two. The building will be 20x50 and handsomely furnished throughout. Hot and cold water for shower, spray and needle baths will be put in and every comfort will be looked after for the Spray boys.

The board of supervisors are in session, and have been for several days engaged in auditing accounts, especially for the last day or two those of the precinct officials of precinct No. 2, i. e., Bisbee precinct. The claim of Justice S. K. Williams for the third quarter of the current year, which was for \$1,138.50, was allowed for \$1,064.55, the sum of \$83.95 having been disallowed. The board is holding night sessions.

Miss Addie Kindred returned yesterday from Tempe, where she has been attending the Territory Normal school.

Jack Mathias, county jailer, came over from the county seat Friday evening and is spending a few days in this city.

Rev. Mr. Shields was called yesterday to hold the funeral services of the young child of Dr. and Mrs. Sutherland at Douglas.

Next Sunday evening, December 22 at 8 o'clock, Mr. Studley will again preach in the opera house hall. All are cordially invited.

The Christmas exercises of the Presbyterian church will be held in Library hall at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening. A cordial invitation to all.

J. T. Logan, superintendent of the Nacozari railroad, with headquarters at Douglas, left yesterday for El Paso on business connected with his company.

The Southern Pacific has been awarded \$25 damages against the Bisbee road on account of the Deming crossing trouble. This will probably bankrupt the Bisbee road. Nit.

The east-bound passenger train on the Southern Pacific was thirteen hours late Friday, caused by the wreck of passenger trains on that road the day before. Bisbee passengers going east yesterday were delayed in Benson.

A meeting of the Spanish-American war veterans will be held at the band house, above Nemeck's Photographic Studio, Sunday evening, Dec. 22, at 3 p. m. All who served their country during the late war, and were honorably discharged, are invited to be present.

S. E. Hazard, of the law firm of Hereford & Hazard, of Tucson, arrived in Bisbee on Thursday afternoon's train, coming from Tombstone, where he had been attending the court session. Mr. Hazard took in the minstrel show with the Elks' party Thursday evening and returned to Tombstone yesterday morning.

The Huachuca Consolidated Development company has acquired the interest of D. W. Matthews in the company, paying him a neat sum for his holdings. This company is meeting with good success in disposing of its stock in the east. This property is looking better than it ever did and with development work richer and better ore is coming in.

The arid land issue has got a good start in congress. There will be some effective and practical work done this session. The business of the reclamation of the arid region will be fully inaugurated by this congress. This insures a forward movement all along the line for years to come, and the reclamation of millions of acres of farm lands for the home-seeker.—Star.

This week at Morenci Manuel Guardiano, a boy who worked at the D. C. Co. concentrator, went to sleep on a pulley belt during a temporary stoppage of the machinery. Before he awoke the machinery was put in operation and he was caught in the pulley, losing his arm. He was removed at once to the hospital and received immediate attention, but died as a result of his injuries on Friday.

Monday morning Dan Shea received a telegram from the Sonora Mining company's property stating that a rich body of ore had been struck in the La Fortuna. It looked good to Dan and he went out in search of Sonora stock, paying as high as 40 cents for some of it. Before he could gather in a great amount 90 cents was asked. Every mining proposition we have seen yet there are always a few who buy when the stock is first put on the market, which is usually at a low price, and they take a profit the first time the stock moves up. This time they make an exception and are holding for better prices.—Jerome Reporter.

Church Notices.

First Presbyterian—Library hall—The only service today, Sabbath school at 10 a. m.

Rev. Mr. Shields will hold service in Douglas at 8 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal church—Services as follows: 10 a. m., Sunday school; 11, class meeting 7:30. Evening service. Special music will be rendered by the choir. All are cordially invited.

Jockey Club Saloon...

Naco, Sonora.

French Liquors and Sunny Brook Pure Rye Whiskey

Veracruz Cigars. La Favorita Cigars

THE HALF WAY HOUSE

CHARLES HULL, Proprietor.

Choice goods Constantly in Stock

Case Goods on Demand

Ice Cold Beer Sunny Brook Whiskey

FRESH FISH, OYSTERS AND POULTRY.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES Received daily from California at the

A fresh assortment of Nuts Fresh cut California Flowers a Specialty. Orders taken for party decorations.

EUREKA MARKET. No. 3 Dubacher building, Brewery Ave.

C. H. Brown & Co.

Wanted—Eight first class brick layers. Apply to G. B. Willis. 1219 5p

Attention Knights.

The regular meeting of Rathbone Lodge, No. 10, will be held Thursday evening, December 26, instead of on Tuesday. JAMES FARLEY, C. C. 12 20 2t

Turkey Shoot

A live turkey shoot will be given Sunday afternoon, December 22, at 2 o'clock, near the Bisbee Gun Club grounds. Everybody invited to shoot at live turkeys. 12 20 2t

MAIL DOUGLAS.

A fair village on the plain. The first banquet will be given Christmas day, at the Depot Cafe. Everything will be served first-class. There will be a barbecued pig, the t is very fine; roast turkey, cranberry sauce, and wine; Charlotte oysters dressed up nice bottled beer just off the ice; celery white and slaw out of sight; all kinds of nuts and fruits goes right; champagne pudding that is burned by fire. Please don't forget the hour, from 4 to 8 p. m. 75c per plate. Mrs. D. F. MCGOWAN, Prop. Douglas, Arizona.

Cheap CASH Store

CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES

Fresh Fruits, of all kinds received daily. Wines, Liquors, and Cigars. Goods delivered free

Medigovich & Noble

THE PROBLEM SOLVED.

What to give for Christmas is a question for all. Nothing can be more appropriate than some of our

GENUINE MEXICAN DRAWNWORK, Hand Carved LEATHER GOODS, FILLIGREE JEWELRY and CURIOSITIES,

a complete line of which will be put on sale Dec. 15th. Don't delay, they will not last always.

We are headquarters on Mexican Cigars, an immense stock just received.

The Cananea Supply Store,

S. M. AGUIRRE, Store Manager.

Naco, - - - Sonora, - - - Mexico.

Take Advantage

Advantages are in store for all, both great and small. Do not delay buying your Xmas presents. . . That best fellow of yours wants a present. And if not your fellow some one else's fellow does. . . Boys, don't forget the girls, for your best one is looking with wishful eyes to see what is your surprise, so take heed and buy. . . You men of families want to please the ones who are near and dear and Xmas is here. See the smiling face of wife and baby by purchasing your presents, Diamonds, Watches, Silverware, Brushes and Novelties. To enumerate would take too much space, but come at once and look over my assortment and make your selections.

HENKEL,

The Leading Jeweler.

No. 11 Main Street.

Suitable Presents for Men



NECKTIES, each one neatly boxed—Imperials, Once overs and Puffs \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Rich, heavy silks—neat, exclusive patterns; you pay nothing extra for the box.

Band bows, shield bows, club ties, derbies, imperials and puffs, 25c to \$1.00.

SUSPENDERS, silk and satin, \$1.50 to \$3.50; the \$3.50 kinds have 18 karat gold buckles, the others gold plated and oxidized silver buckles.

Plain colors, stripes, plaids, Persian effects—rich, pleasing color combinations—yet not gaudy. Each pair in a separate box.

HANDKERCHIEFS always make a suitable present. Men never seem to have too many of them.

Fancy bordered silk, in 4 dozen assortments, \$2.50 a package. White silk, all width hems, plain or initial, 55 cents to \$1.50. White linen, 4 dozen in a box, \$1.50 to \$3.00 a box.

Cambric and linen, 15 cents to 50 cents each.

LOUNGING ROBES

A man will get more comfort out of one of these long, loose, comfortable lounging robes than anything else you

Suggestions—brief, but helpful,

Umbrellas, congo handles, plain and mounted with sterling silver and gold plating. Close rolling, steel rod, paragon frames, \$1.50 for the glorio up to \$10.00 for the silk.

Fancy striped socks, in assorted half dozens—no two pairs alike, \$3.00 a half dozen. Silk, \$1.50 a pair.

Mackintoshes, \$4.00 to \$15.00. Rain coats, \$13.50 to \$22.50. Cravatte raincoats, \$25.00.

Gloves, mocha, silk lined, \$1.75 and \$2.00; mocha, unlined, \$1.50 to \$2.00; kid, wool lined, fur top, \$1.00; unlined kid, \$1.50 to \$2.25; astrachan, mocha lining, 75c and \$1.00; jersey and Scotch knit gloves, 50c and 75c.

The Copper Queen Store.

Brief mention of some new goods just received, which will make the choosing of Holiday gifts still easier.

Lace Fans

Men are not apt to think of fans as a gift—associating fans with summer and warm weather.

Here's a hint, Mister Man.

Fans—lace fans, such as we refer to—

are an important accessory to woman's dress in the winter time. Dances, parties, social affairs—all are occasions when dainty, lace fans are necessary. Not for real use so much as a finishing touch to the dress.

Dainty, delicate lace fans, applied and bespangled, light and dark colors, \$1.00 to \$2.50.

Neck Ruffs

If these sell as rapidly as they did the first hour they were unpacked, there

Holiday Handkerchiefs.

We are selling more Handkerchiefs for gifts this year than ever before. It's not to be wondered at—there are more and prettier handkerchiefs to select from than we've ever shown before.

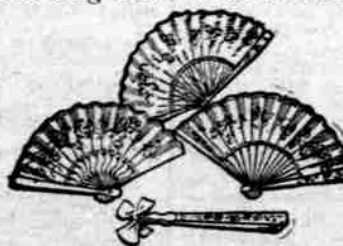
On one table you will find the Handkerchiefs from 15c and 20c up to 50c. On a separate table—the lace edge and fine linen, embroidered kinds, up to \$1.25. These latter kinds are especially fine.

Sheer linen, neat, narrow floral design embroidered around the edge, then a narrow hemstitched edge, finished off with narrow fine valenciennes lace, \$1.25.

Fine sheer linen, neat embroidered effect, edged with valenciennes lace. Between the lace and the embroidery is one narrow tuck. Very pretty, indeed, \$1.00.

Fine sheer linen, with three rows of narrow tucks all around the handkerchief, each tuck hemstitched. It's an odd conceit and you'll like it—everyone does, 60c.

To help the men, we have fixed up some of the best and prettiest kinds in a fancy box, holding three handkerchiefs. \$3.00 a box.



will not be many to choose from—unless you come at once.

All black and black with just a little white. Of cambric and silk, accordion pleated and lace trimmed, \$2.75 to \$5.50.

Chain Purses

It's a great fad, with women, carrying the purse fastened to the belt. Of all the sorts the metal purses seem to be the most stylish.

Some new ones, shown yesterday for the first time, are of burnished, dull gray and imitation gun metal finish.

Two sizes and prices from \$1.25 to \$2.00.

Bath Robes for Women

Long, loose robes of ripple eider-down, fastened at the waist with a girdle.

These are new too, and if she has not seen them in stock before the surprise will be all the greater.

Red, tan and lavender, \$8.00 each.

Cigars.

Well known brands put up especially for Christmas trade. Such brands as

La Internacional, 25 in a little fancier box than usual, \$2.50. Same brand, 50 in box, \$4.50. La Dos Naciones, 25 in a box, \$3.25. General Arthur, 12 in a box, \$1.00.

You couldn't please some men more than by giving a box of either of these good cigars.

CANDY--Pure and Fresh

No matter how loaded up you are with packages, you are not through with the Holiday shopping unless you've paid a visit to the Candy Counter. One thing, the buying of the candy can be put off until the last, for there's no worry about quality or kinds. GUNTHER'S—that means the purest and best. Just say "Assorted" and you'll get some each

Caramels, chocolates, cocoas, burnt almonds, vanilla nougats, chocolate almonds, chocolate peppermint and wintergreen creams, chocolate pineapple creams, chocolate marshmallows, crystallized lemon, violet, orange, strawberry and pistachio bonbons—and other kinds of sweet concoctions.

Fancy baskets and boxes tied with ribbons and decorated with sprigs of holly—filled with candy—from \$1.00 to \$2.25 a box. If you want these fancy boxes, you'd better hurry for they'll soon be gone. Plenty of the plain one pound boxes, 65c and 75c a box. Candied fruits, assorted, in half and one pound boxes, 40c and 80c a box.

Perfumes

In giving perfume, give the best.

Rogers & Gallet, \$3.00 for a box of three bottles. Colgate—a wide range of extracts in various sized bottles. Some for as little as 50 cents.

You can't buy better perfume than either of the two mentioned.

CHILDREN'S SETS

Little knife, fork and spoon in a box 75c to \$5.00 a set. Some at \$2.50 have knife with pearl handle.

Smokers' Articles.

If he smokes you can easily find something among the pipes and kindred things that will surely please him.

Meerschaum pipes, \$2.00 to \$17.50.

Brier pipes, 50 cents to \$6.00, the better ones with sterling silver and solid gold trimmings.

Cigar holders, from 75 cents for the amber to \$3.50 for the meerschaum.

Then there are Mexican carved leather cigar cases for both cigars and cigarettes, tobacco pouches, match boxes—all aids to the smoker's comfort.

High Grade Stationery.

Made by HURD. The newest shapes and shades. Some boxes have two sizes of paper and two shades—ivory and azure. The beauty of the box enhances the value of the gift.

\$1, \$1.50, \$2 and \$2.25.

Other papeteries—some for as little as 35c.